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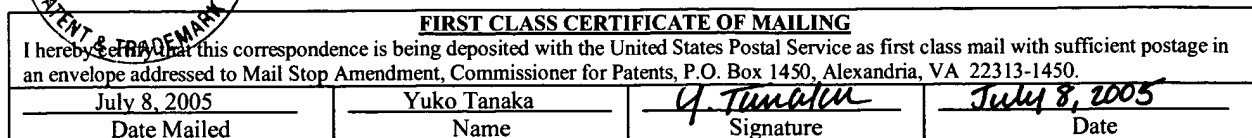
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RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.111 AND 1.121

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed June 7, 2005, Applicants respectfully request the Examiner to enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.